DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years.	*Current.*	
Price of food grains—Rice ...	6·5	7 to 7·25	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	14·8	13·50 to 14	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, is sold at 8 seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Collecting manure.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured and ploughed in parts of Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar-cane are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Gingelly in parts of Kankanhalli, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk; potato in parts of Anekal Taluk; sugar-cane in parts of Dodballapur, and jola in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Hoskote Taluk, yield 12 annas; and in parts of Devanhalli Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair, but rain is badly wanted in parts of Dodballapur and Magadi Taluks for the standing crops. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of small-pox and measles in parts of Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks, and fever in parts Devanhalli Taluk, the public health is generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest prevalent in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk and 'Neradi Roga' in parts of Closepet Sub-Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water, pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing, preparing and manuring the soil all over the district and weeding in some parts.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—

Paddy in Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 12 annas.

Crops sown.—Gingelly in Malur and baragu in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox in many villages of the Kolar Taluk and in some villages of the Bowringpet and Bagepalli Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, and cholera in parts of the Kolar and Mulbagal Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient in all taluks, excepting Chikballapur town and parts of Chikballapur Taluk, where water scarcity is felt to some extent.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Gid ragi in Pavagada; jola in Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Turuvekere; baragu in Tiptur and Turuvekere; togari in Turuvekere; black and green gram in Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur; and til in Chiknayakanhalli and Turuvekere.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in all the taluks, except Kunigal, and sugar-cane in Kunigal and Turuvekere.

Condition of crops.—Good in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Kunigal and Turuvekere; fair in Tumkur, Tiptur, Pavagada and Koratagere.

10. Prospects of the season are on the whole good. Food grains are available.

11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks, public health is generally good in other taluks.

12. Water and fodder are available in all the taluks, except Pavagada, where it is fairly available.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Seringapatam, Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

State of standing crops is reported to be good.

Crops sown.—Ragi in parts of the Hunsur, Yedatore and Heggaddevankote Taluks; cholum in parts of the Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks; togari in parts of the Mysore, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and T.-Narsipur Taluks; til in parts of the Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks; haraka and savé in parts of the Hunsur Taluk; kambu, navane, baragu, avare and coriander in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk; haraka in parts of the Gundlupet, Nanjangud and T.-Narsipur Taluks; black and green gram in parts of the Yedatore Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore Taluk and small-pox in parts of the Krishnarajpete Taluk, public health is generally good. Cholera which was prevailing in the Krishnarajpete Taluk last week is reported to be abating.

12. Except for "Dod Roga" in parts of the Mysore and Gundlupet Taluks, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane and kar paddy in Channarayapatna, Hassan and Arsikere Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; ragi, avare, til, jola, togari and sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—In parts of the Hassan Taluk gid ragi and paddy in Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi yellu, jola, green and black grams in Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; ragi and paddy in Arkalgud Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for cholera in parts of Hassan, Arsikere, Channarayapatna and Arkalgud Taluks and ague fever in parts of Channarayapatna Taluk, the public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Preliminary ploughing operations are in progress in all the taluks. Paddy is being sown in parts of Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks and kar paddy in the Sagar Taluk are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available in sufficient quantities in all the taluks.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks. Rinderpest prevails in parts of Tirthahalli Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured throughout the district.

Crops sown.—Paddy, ragi, horse gram and beans in Chikmagalur and paddy in the Lakvalli hobli of the Tarikere Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and kar paddy in the taluks of Chikmagalur and Kadur; sugar-cane in Tarikere and Sringeri, and kode paddy in Mudgere are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available.

11. Except for plague in Kallapur village of the Kasaba hobli in the Kadur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. "Foot and mouth" disease still exists in certain villages of the Kasaba and Hirenallur hobli of the Kadur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The rainfall during the week has enabled the raiyats to prepare their lands and to sow seeds in the district, except in parts of Davangere and Holalkere Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, where the rainfall is scanty.

Standing crops such as paddy, sugar-cane and tobacco are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Sesamum in the Challakere, Hiriyur, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks; castor in the Challakere and Jagalur Taluks; jola, ragi and togari in the Hiriyur and Challakere Taluks; green gram in the Challakere and Hosdurga Taluks; harka and black gram in the Challakere Taluk; cotton in the Jagalur Taluk and jola in the Hosdurga Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Chitaldrug and Hiriyur Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE,
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